GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
LOK SABHA

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CIVIL SERVICES EXAMINATIONS
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Will the Minister of PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of services covered under Civil Services Examination conducted by the Union Public Service Commission every year and the names thereof;

(b) the number of services out of them for which examinations is conducted in Hindi and other regional languages;

(c) the details of such services for which examinations are conducted in English language only;

(d) the reasons for not conducting the said examinations in Hindi and regional languages; and

(e) the time by which such examinations are likely to be conducted in Hindi and other regional languages?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions and Minister of State in the Prime Minister's Office. (DR. JITENDRA SINGH)

(a): As many as 24 services had taken part in the Civil Services Examination (CSE) -2013, whereas, in CSE 2014, 23 services had participated. The services which had participated in CSE-2013 & CSE- 2014 are at Annexure-I and Annexure-II respectively.

(b) to (e): The Civil Services Examination which is a common examination all participating services is conducted in two parts, i.e. Civil Services (Preliminary) Examination and Civil Services (Main) Examination consisting of written examination and an interview test.

The Civil Services (Preliminary) Examination comprises of two common papers of objective type multiple choice questions set both in English & Hindi.

The candidates are permitted to answer all the papers in Civil Services (Main) Examination (except compulsory Indian language paper and English language paper, which are qualifying in nature) either in Hindi or in English or in any of the Indian languages included in the Eighth Schedule of the Constitution of India.

A candidate, opting for Indian Language medium for the written part of Civil Services (Main) Examination, may choose either the same Indian language or English or Hindi as the medium of Interview. Further, the candidate, opting to write the Civil Services (Main) Examination in English may choose as the medium for interview either English, or Hindi or any other Indian Language opted by him for the compulsory Indian Language Paper in the written part of the Civil Services (Main) Examination.

ANNEXURE-I AS REFERRED TO IN PART (a) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1397 FOR ANSWER ON 04.03.2015

List of services included in Civil Services Examination, 2013

(i) The Indian Administrative Service.

(ii) The Indian Foreign Service.

(iii) The Indian Police Service.

(iv) The Indian P&T Accounts and Finance Service, Group 'A'.

(v) The Indian Audit and Accounts Service, Group 'A'.

(vi) Indian Revenue Service (Customs & Central Excise) Gr. "A".

(vii) The Indian Defence Accounts Service, Group 'A'.

(viii) The Indian Revenue Service, (I.T.) Group 'A'.
(ix) The Indian Ordnance Factories Service, Group 'A'. (Asstt. Works Managerâ€" Administration).
(x) The Indian Postal Service, Group 'A'.
(xi) The Indian Civil Accounts Service, Group 'A'.
(xii) The Indian Railway Traffic Service, Group 'A'.
(xiii) The Indian Railway Accounts Service, Group 'A'.
(xiv) The Indian Railway Personnel Service, Group 'A'.
(xv) Post of Assistant Security Commissioner, Group 'A' in Railway Protection Force.
(xvi) The Indian Defence Estates Service, Group 'A'.
(xvii) The Indian Information Service, Junior Grade Group 'A'.
(xviii) Indian Trade Service, Group 'A' (Gr. III).
(xix) Indian Corporate Law Service, Group 'A'.
(xx) Armed Forces Headquarters Civil Service, Group 'B' (Section Officer's Grade).
(xxi) Delhi, Andaman and Nicober Islands, Lakshadweep, Daman & Diu and Dadra & Nagar Haveli Civil Service, Group 'B'.
(xxii) Delhi, Andaman and Nicober Islands, Lakshadweep, Daman & Diu and Dadra & Nagar Haveli Police Service, Group 'B'.
(xxiii) Pondicherry Civil Service, Group 'B'.
(xxiv) Pondicherry Police Service, Group 'B'.

ANNEXURE-II AS REFERRED TO IN PART (a) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1397 FOR ANSWER ON 04.03.2015

List of services included in Civil Services Examination, 2014

(i) The Indian Administrative Service.

(ii) The Indian Foreign Service.

(iii) The Indian Police Service.

(iv) The Indian P&T Accounts and Finance Service, Group 'A'.

(v) The Indian Audit and Accounts Service, Group 'A'.

(vi) Indian Revenue Service (Customs & Central Excise) Gr. "A".

(vii) The Indian Defence Accounts Service, Group 'A'.

(viii) The Indian Revenue Service, (I.T.) Group 'A'.
(ix) The Indian Ordnance Factories Service, Group 'A'. (Asstt. Works Managerâ€" Administration).
(x) The Indian Postal Service, Group 'A'.
(xi) The Indian Civil Accounts Service, Group 'A'.
(xii) The Indian Railway Traffic Service, Group 'A'.
(xiii) The Indian Railway Accounts Service, Group 'A'.
(xiv) The Indian Railway Personnel Service, Group 'A'.
(xv) Post of Assistant Security Commissioner, Group 'A' in Railway Protection Force.
(xvi) The Indian Defence Estates Service, Group 'A'.
(xvii) The Indian Information Service, Junior Grade Group 'A'.
(xviii) Indian Trade Service, Group 'A' (Gr. III).
(xix) Indian Corporate Law Service, Group 'A'.
(xx) Armed Forces Headquarters Civil Service, Group 'B' (Section Officer's Grade).
(xxi) Delhi, Andaman and Nicober Islands, Lakshadweep, Daman & Diu and Dadra & Nagar Haveli Civil Service, Group 'B'.
(xxii) Delhi, Andaman and Nicober Islands, Lakshadweep, Daman & Diu and Dadra & Nagar Haveli Police Service, Group 'B'.
(xxiii) Pondicherry Civil Service, Group 'B'.
There was no vacancy in Pondicherry Police Service, Group '